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MOSCOW KRASNAYA ZVEZDA IN RUSSIAN 10 AUG UST 1985 SECOND EDITION  
CARRIES ON PAGE 4, UNDER THE RUBRIC "READER ASKS FOR INFORMATION"  
AND THE HEADLINE "INTERNATIONALISTS' DUTY," A 1,500-WORD UNNAMED  
OWN CORRESPONDENT INTERVIEW, IN REPLY TO A READER'S REQUEST,  
WITH HERO OF THE SOVIET UNION MAJOR RUSLAN SULTANOVICH AUSHEV,  
WHO HAS JUST FINISHED HIS STUDIES AT A MILITARY ACADEMY AND IS  
RETURNING TO AFGHANISTAN. ASKED BY HE OPTED TO RETURN, HE ANSWERS:  
"THE UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST AFGHANISTAN IS INTENSIFYING. I CAN JUDGE  
THAT FROM THE STORIES TOLD BY MY YOUNGER BROTHER AND OTHER OFFICERS  
RETURNING FROM THE COUNTRY. THE AFGHAN DELEGATION'S ENVOYS TO THE  
12TH WORLD FESTIVAL OF YOUTH AND STUDENTS IN MOSCOW CONFIRMED  
THAT." ASKED TO COMMENT ON U.S. AND NATO "PROPAGANDA" THAT  
SOVIET SERVICEMEN IN THE DRA ALLEGEDLY "SOW DEATH AND DESTRUCTION,  
BURN SCHOOLS, KILL PEOPLE, AND CARRY OUT UNHEARD-OF-ATROCITIES,"  
HE REPLIES THAT THESE ARE "SHAMELESS LIES AND SLANDER" AIMED  
AT SHIFTING THE BLAME AWAY FROM THE DUSHMANS. THE INTERVIEW  
CONCLUDES WITH REMINISCENCES OF HIS SERVICE AND COMRADES IN THE DRA.  
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